

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1-13. (canceled)

14. (currently amended) Fibrous web treated with a lotion composition based on an oil-in-water emulsion comprising

(A) at least one oil,

(B) an oil-in-water emulsifier or oil-in-water emulsifier combination, and

(C) 6 to 35 weight % of water, based on the total weight of the lotion composition;

wherein the treated fibrous web has a water absorption time of less than one minute.

15. (previously presented) The fibrous web according to claim 14, wherein the lotion comprises

(A) 20 to 70 weight % of at least one oil,

(B) 3 to 40 weight % of an oil-in-water emulsifier or oil-in-water emulsifier combination, and

(C) 6 to 35 weight % of water,

wherein the weight % values relate to the total weight of the lotion composition.

16. (previously presented) The fibrous web according to claim 14, wherein the oil-in-water emulsifier combination comprises

(B') at least one alkyl(oligo)glycoside having optionally alkoxy units, and

(B'') at least one polyol polyester wherein a polyhydric alcohol having at least two hydroxy groups is esterified with at least one acid having from 6 to 30 carbon atoms and at least one hydroxy group, or condensation product(s) of this hydroxy fatty acid.

17. (previously presented) The fibrous web according to claim 16, wherein said polyol polyester (B'') is polyglyceride poly(12-hydroxystearate).

18. (previously presented) The fibrous web according to claim 14, wherein the lotion composition further comprises at least one humectant (D) in an amount of 1 to 15 weight %.

19. (previously presented) The fibrous web according to claim 14, wherein the oil component (A) comprises at least one oil (A') having a viscosity lower than 30 mPa•s measured with a Höppler falling sphere viscosimeter at 20° C.

20. (previously presented) The fibrous web according to claim 14, wherein the oil component (A) comprises at least one

liquid oil (A') selected from symmetric or asymmetric dialk(en)ylethers having from 6 to 24 C atoms per alk(en)yl group and a linear or branched dialk(en)ylcarbonate derived from C6 to 22 fatty alcohols.

21. (previously presented) The fibrous web according to claim 14, wherein the oil component (A) comprises at least one oil (A'') having a viscosity greater than 30 mPa•s and not more than 100 mPa•s measured with a Höppler falling sphere viscosimeter at 20° C.

22. (previously presented) The fibrous web according to claim 14, wherein the oil component (A) comprises at least one liquid oil (A'') selected from waxy esters, glycerides, natural oils and hydrocarbon based oils.

23. (previously presented) The fibrous web according to claim 14, wherein the oil component (A) comprises a mixture of at least one liquid oil (A') selected from symmetric or asymmetric dialk(en)ylethers having from 6 to 24 C atoms (per alk(en)yl group) and linear or branched dialk(en)ylcarbonates derived from C6 to 22 fatty alcohols and at least one liquid oil (A'') selected from waxy esters, glycerides, natural oils and hydrocarbon based oils.

24. (previously presented) The fibrous web according to claim 14, wherein the lotion composition comprises:

(A') 20 to 40 weight % of a liquid dialk(en)yl carbonate derived from C6 to C22 fatty alcohols,

(A") 20 to 40 weight % of a liquid glyceride wherein glycerol is esterified with at least one acid having from 6 to 24 carbon atoms,

(B') 1 to 15 weight % of at least one alkyl (oligo)glycoside,

(B") 2 to 15 weight % of a polyol polyester wherein a polyhydric alcohol having at least two hydroxy groups is esterified with at least one acid having from 6 to 30 carbon atoms and at least one hydroxy group or condensation product(s) of this hydroxy fatty acid,

(C) 15 to 25 weight % water,

(D) 1 to 10 weight % humectant,

(E) optionally 1 to 5 weight % of at least one consistency regulator, and

(F) optionally 0.1 to 5 weight % additives.

25. (previously presented) The fibrous web according to claim 14, wherein the fibrous web is a single ply or multi ply tissue paper.

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26. (previously presented) The fibrous web according to
claim 14, wherein the fibrous web is a toilet paper having from 2
to 4 plies.